Livingood, 36 sealed boxes containing two complete copies of a Referral to the House of Representatives. This Referral is filed in conformity with the requirements of Title 28, United States Code, Section 595(c), which provides that "[a]n independent counsel shall advise the House of Representatives of any substantial and credible information which such independent counsel receives . . . that may constitute grounds for an impeachment."

This Referral contains confidential material and material protected from disclosure by Rule 6(e) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. Disclosure of this material to the House of Representatives has been authorized by the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, Division for the Purpose of Appointing Independent Counsels. A copy of that order is attached. The contents of the Referral may not be publicly disclosed unless and until authorized by the House of Representatives. Many of the supporting materials contain information of a personal nature that I respectfully urge the House to treat as confidential.

I respectfully request that the Sergeant at Arms maintain this Referral in a sealed and secure condition and deliver this sealed Referral to the House of Representatives at a time and place to be determined by the House consistent with its own Rules. Until such time as the Sergeant at Arms is directed to deliver this Referral, I consider it a record of the Office of the Independent Counsel, and executive department of the Executive Branch. I respectfully request that the Referral remain sealed until its formal receipt by the House. Jefferson's Manual, \$706(c) (citting Speaker O'Neill's ruling of July 31, 1980, CONG. REC. at 20765).

Respectfully yours, Kenneth W. Starr, Independent Counsel.

U.S. COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF APPOINTING INDEPENDENT COUNSELS

Ethics in Government Act of 1978, As Amended

In Re: Madison Guaranty Savings & Loan Association, Division No. 94-1.

Before: Sentelle, Presiding Judge, and Butzner and Fay, Senior Circuit Judges.

Upon consideration of the "Ex Parte Motion for Approval of Disclosure of Matters Occurring Before a Grand Jury" filed by Independent Counsel Kenneth W. Starr on July 2, 1998, the Court finds that it is appropriate for the Independent Counsel to convey the materials described in that motion to the House of Representatives. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the motion be granted. The Court hereby authorizes the Independent Counsel to deliver to the House of Representatives materials that the Independent Counsel determines constitute information of the type described in 28 U.S.C. §595(c). This authorization constitutes an order for purposes of Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 6(e)(3)(C)(i) permitting disclosure of all grand jury material that the independent counsel deems necessary to comply with the requirements of §595(c). This order may be disclosed as required in connection with the Independent Counsel's compliance with his statutory mandate.

PER CURIAM
FOR THE COURT:
Mark J. Langer,
Clerk
BY
MARILYN R. SARGENT,
Chief Deputy Clerk.

¶85.33 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2863

Mr. GOSS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-698) the resolution (H. Res. 521) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2863) to amend the Migratory Bird Act to clarify restrictions under that Act on baiting, to facilitate acquisition of migratory bird habitat, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

## ¶85.34 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2538

Mr. GOSS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-699) the resolution (H. Res. 522) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2538) to establish a Presidential commission to determine the validity of certain land claims arising out of the Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo of 1848 involving the descendants of persons who were Mexican citizens at the time of the Treaty.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

## ¶85.35 NATIONAL SKILL STANDARDS BOARD

The SPEAKER, pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, by unanimous consent, announced that the Speaker, pursuant to the provisions of section 503(b)(3) of Public Law 103-227, reappointed to the National Skill Standards Board for a four-year term Mr. William E. Weisgerber of Iona, Michigan, from private life, on the part of the House.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointment.

# ¶85.36 COORDINATING COUNCIL ON JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION

The SPEAKER, pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, by unanimous consent, announced that the Speaker, pursuant to the provisions of section 206 of Juvenile Justice and Deliquency Prevention Act of 1974 (42 United States Code 5616) as amended by section 2(d) of Public Law 102-586, appointed to the Coordinating Council on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention for a two-year term Mr. Gordon A. Martin of Roxbury, Massachusetts, from private life, on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointment.

#### ¶85.37 ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 629. An Act to grant the consent of the Congress to the Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Compact.

H.R. 4059. An Act making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year end-

ing September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

#### ¶85.38 SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 1379. An Act to amend section 552 of title 5, United States Code, and the National Security Act of 1947 to require disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act regarding certain persons, disclose Nazi war criminal records without impairing any investigation or prosecution conducted by the Department of Justice or certain intelligence matters, and for other purposes.

# ¶85.39 BILL PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on the following date present to the President, for his approval, a bill of the House of the following title:

#### On August 10, 1998:

H.R. 3824. An Act amending the Fastener Quality Act to exempt from its coverage certain fasteners approved by the Federal Aviation Administration for use in aircraft.

#### $\P85.40$ Leave of absence

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Ms. PRYCE, for today and an indefinite period.

And then.

## ¶85.41 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. OWENS, at 8 o'clock and 34 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

# ¶85.42 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

[Pursuant to the order of the House on August 6, 1998, the following report was filed on August 21, 1998]

Mr. LEACH. Committee on Banking and Financial Services. H.R. 4393. A bill to revise the banking and bankruptcy insolvency laws with respect to the termination and netting of financial contracts, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-688, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

## [Submitted September 9, 1998]

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1110. A bill to designate a portion of the Sudbury, Assabet, and Concord Rivers as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System (Rept. No. 105-691). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1983. A bill to amend the Rhode Island Indian Claims Settlement Act to conform that Act with the judgments of the United States Federal Courts regarding the rights and sovereign status of certain Indian Tribes, including the Narragansett Tribe, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-692). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2223. A bill to amend the Act popularly known as the Recreation and Public Purposes Act to authorize transfers of certain public lands or national forest lands to local education agencies for use for elementary or secondary schools, including